

WHEREAS; what is best for our kids is what is best for our state, which means ensuring that every kid in Wisconsin has access to a high-quality public education, regardless of their ZIP code or socioeconomic status; and

WHEREAS; even in the face of the coronavirus pandemic, educators in our state have gone above and beyond to adapt and remain connected with their students and their families; and

WHEREAS; Wisconsin's educators make learning possible by fostering positive, supportive, and inclusive environments where students of all ages, backgrounds, identities, and abilities can reach their full potential; and

WHEREAS; while our students study math, science, social studies, and language arts, our state's educators make sure that they are also learning kindness, respect, empathy, compassion, and integrity; and

WHEREAS; our educators work tirelessly to open students' minds to new ideas, encourage them to think critically, inspire them to dream big, and teach them to be good people and good Wisconsinites; and

WHEREAS; this week, the state of Wisconsin reaffirms its commitment to fighting for meaningful investments in our kids, our educators, and our schools, and joins all Wisconsinites in thanking educators throughout our state for the essential work they do to support their students and their communities each and every day;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,  
do hereby proclaim May 2 – 6, 2022, as

## **TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK**

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance  
to all our state's residents.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 29<sup>th</sup> day of April 2022.



TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:



DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE, Secretary of State